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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Edward L. Grivna et al.
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Title: APPARATUS AND PROTOCOL FOR EXCEPTION PROPAGATION IN SERIAL TRANSPORT BLOCK CODED INTERFACES
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2005
please amend the specification of the above-identified application
as follows: